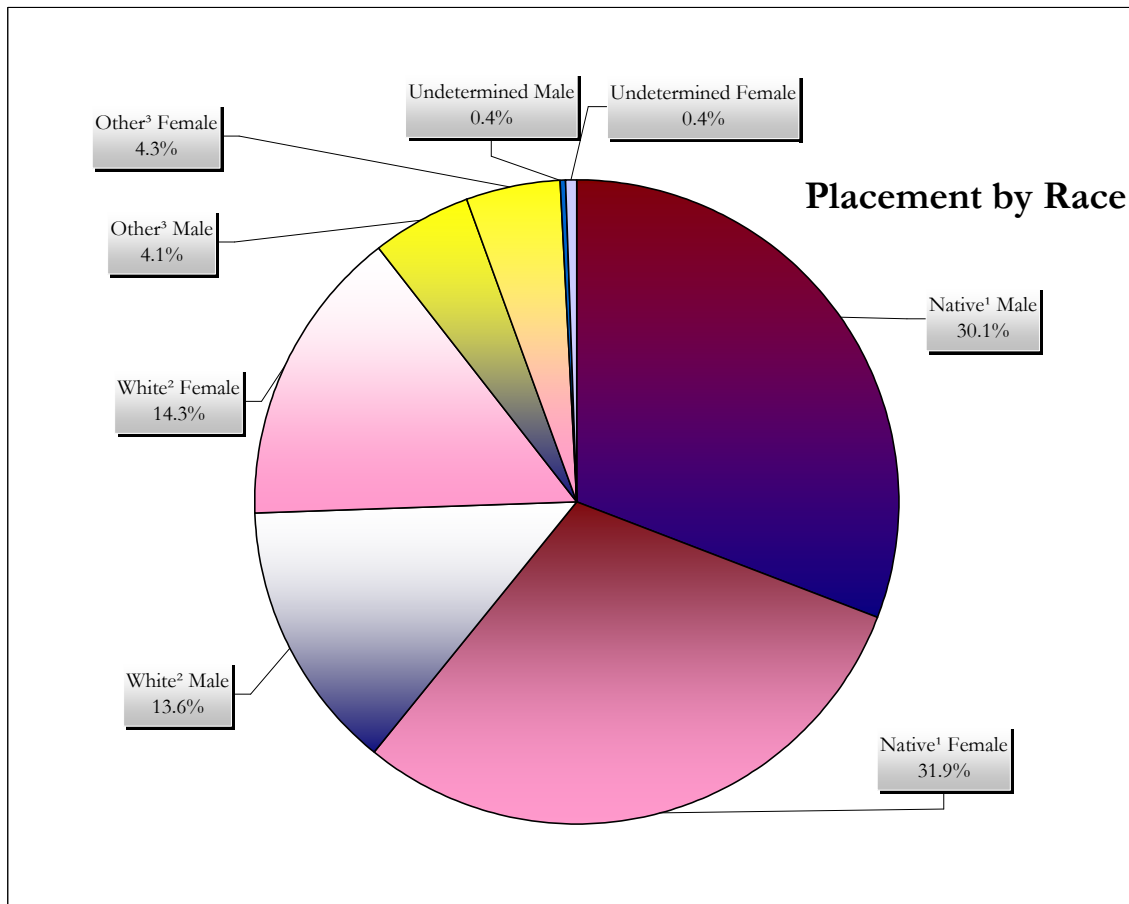


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of November, 2007, by Race

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.



All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of November, 2007.													TOTAL
Race	Native ¹			White ²			Other ³			Undetermined			
Region	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	
Anchorage	246	245	491	122	140	262	69	71	140	6	2	8	
Northern	98	120	218	40	24	64	17	12	29	0	4	4	
Southcentral	236	204	440	109	127	236	10	11	21	1	3	4	
Southeast	78	77	155	21	31	52	10	7	17	2	0	2	
Total	658	646	1,304	292	322	614	106	101	207	9	9	18	

¹ Native is any mention of Alaska Native or American Indian.

² White is White only, excluding all other races.

³ Other includes any mention of Asian, Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander, or Black/ African American.

Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthlyreport.sas.

Data in this report is as of July 1, 2008. Subsequent reports with the same date parameter will contain up-dated statistics.

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